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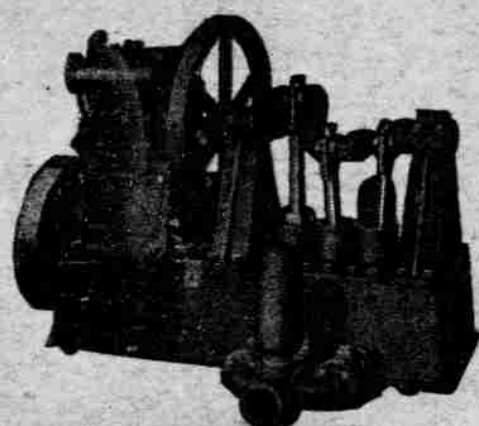
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## Around the Police Station

Sheriff Jarrett may make some changes in the detective force, as a result of a conference held yesterday afternoon with Supervisors Cox and Quinn, the police committee of the Board of Supervisors. The conference was a lengthy one, and when it was concluded the Sheriff stated that among other matters touched upon was the Burningham letter, which criticized the detective force. The Sheriff, when asked whether any recommendations had been made by the committee, replied that the conference was merely an opportunity for discussing all phases of police work, but that within a couple of days there would be an announcement of importance regarding police matters.

While Sheriff Jarrett would not state just what this announcement would be, yet it is understood that the police committee laid considerable stress on the criticism being made against Chief of Detectives Kalakiela and his force, and it is an open secret that some of the Supervisors were inclined to make some effort to bring about a change in detective methods and the personnel. It is believed that the result of the conference will be a change in the head of the detective department or that it will be brought directly under the deputy sheriff, making the present chief a subordinate officer.

Even this may not result in much good, as most of the officers on the force have little initiative in criminal detection or sufficient knowledge of criminals to make themselves felt in preventing a carnival of crime in the community.

### The Auto Register.

Chief Clerk Asch of the Police Department has registered thirty-three automobiles during the month of March, which comes pretty near being a record-breaker. Some of these are for old machines newly registered, but for the most part represents new machines. The last machine registered bears number 341. Bruce Cartwright, Jr., society man and government inspector of dredging at Pearl Harbor, came around to the station on Monday and asked to register a motorcycle. The clerk thought it was for some one else and was surprised to learn that young Bruce had gone in for motorcycling himself. His machine is No. 29, and will be used to and from Pearl Harbor. Mr. Cartwright can annihilate space and time on the run, and it will be a much more convenient way of getting to town than to rely upon a launch or the train.

### Mannell Wins a Case.

David Mannell, formerly a "detective" on the force, but who was suspended, appeared in police court yesterday to answer to a charge of threatening. However, as the complaining witness did not appear, and as one or two continuances had already been granted, a nolle prosequi was entered. The complaining witness charged Mannell with having robbed the Wundenberg house on Pacific Heights.

### Both Sides Fined.

A few days ago a Porto Rican damsel named Crusida was fined in court for profanity. On being released she found the complainant, a woman, and proceeded to thrash her. Some of Crusida's friends took a hand in the scuffle, and the woman she was beating had friends who entered into the fray. The result was a bunch of arrests, and in court yesterday Judge Andrade handed out \$10 sentences to five of the participants.

F. S. Fadelle was put under bonds of \$300 to keep the peace. His case was tried a week ago, when it was shown that the man had been carrying a revolver and making threats against a woman.

### De Ponte Was Guilty.

M. de Ponte, arrested Saturday night for conducting a "blind pig" on Punchbowl, had his hearing before Judge Andrade yesterday morning and was found guilty after a vigorous prosecution. The defendant was represented by Attorney C. E. Chillingworth. License Inspector Fennell displayed considerable detective skill in bringing about the raid on the de Ponte place, having worked through a barber, who was unconscious of the fact that an informer was using him as a cover to get booze. The defense attempted to show that there was but a small amount of liquor for a "blind pig" — only four bottles of "dago red" found on the place. The Inspector brought two barrels of liquor to the station. Sentence will be handed out this morning.

### POSTPONE BIBLE CLASS.

In view of the extra work entailed in getting ready to give the Chapman-Alexander party a proper reception on next Friday, the Bible Normal Class at Central Union church will not meet this (Wednesday) evening, as usual. The chapters to be studied this week will be taken up next week Wednesday evening at the usual hour.

The midweek service tonight will be a preparatory service. The topic is "Very Religious Without God." Acts 17:22-34. Every member of the church is urged to be present for this consecration meeting in preparation for the Lord's Supper to be observed Easter Sunday.

Corporations are responsible for the taxes of their employees. This is the last day for payment without the additional ten per cent penalty added.

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### ACT 48. AN ACT

TO AMEND SECTIONS 1299 AND 1306 OF THE REVISED LAWS OF HAWAII, RELATING TO STAMP DUTIES.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii:

Section 1. Section 1299 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1299. All instruments may be stamped by the Registrar of Public Accounts within three months after the execution thereof without any penalty being charged; but if stamped after the expiration of such three months the instrument shall be liable to, and the person presenting the same shall pay a penalty of one hundred per cent. of the amount of the duty; provided, however, that instruments executed in foreign countries may be stamped within three months after their arrival in this Territory without the payment of any penalty."

Section 2. Section 1306 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1306. The Registrar of Public Accounts shall in all cases assess the duty payable upon all instruments and on payment of the same he shall affix stamps denoting the amount paid and shall also denote the day of payment."

The Registrar of Public Accounts may demand, and he is, by virtue hereof, entitled to receive, from the party who presents an instrument for the purpose of assessment, or any one acting for a person interested in the transfer, such information or statement of facts either written or oral as he may require for the purposes of properly arriving at a basis for stamp assessment; and for the purposes aforesaid, said Registrar of Public Accounts is hereby empowered to examine under oath by him administered the party or parties offering such information or facts concerning the consideration of a transfer."

Section 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved this 27th day of March, A. D. 1909.

WALTER F. FREAR,  
Governor of the Territory of Hawaii.

### ACT 49. AN ACT

TO AMEND SECTION 4 OF ACT 23 OF THE SESSION LAWS OF 1905, RELATING TO THE FILING OF PLANS AND SURVEYS OF LAND IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CONVEYANCES, AND TO ADD A NEW SECTION TO SAID ACT TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 4A.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii:

Section 1. Section 4 of Act 23 of the Session Laws of 1905 is amended to read as follows:

"Section 4. It shall not be lawful for the Registrar of Conveyances to accept for record and record any plan of land, whether attached to, made a part of, or independent of, any deed, certified copy of judgment of condemnation, or other instrument, after this Act takes effect; to the end and purpose that hereafter there shall be no plans recorded in the record books, but in substitution thereof there shall be a single method of filing plans in the Archives of the office of the said Registrar of Conveyances."

Section 2. A new section to be known as Section 4A is added to Act 23 of the Session Laws of 1905 of Hawaii to read as follows:

"Section 4A. The Registrar of Conveyances shall furnish, when so requested, blue print copies of any map or plan filed in accordance with this Act, duly certified by his seal of office, upon payment of the fee of two dollars for each copy so furnished which fee shall be paid into the Territorial treasury by the said Registrar."

Section 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved this 30th day of March, A. D. 1909.

WALTER F. FREAR,  
Governor of the Territory of Hawaii.

On and after June 30, 1909, the Territory of Hawaii will discontinue the kerosene oil warehouse, situated at Kaakao, Honolulu, and all persons having kerosene oil, distillate or other materials stored therein are hereby notified to have the same removed prior to said date.

Attention is called to Act 132 of the Session Laws of 1907 granting permission to any person, firm or corporation to erect by and with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Works, warehouses for the storage of petroleum, kerosene oil and other light products of petroleum and turpentine.

MARSTON CAMPBELL,  
Superintendent of Public Works,  
Department of Public Works, Honolulu, March 30, 1909.

### ANNUAL MEETING.

Kilauea Volcano House Co., Ltd.  
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kilauea Volcano House Co., Ltd., has been called by the president for Wednesday, March 31, 1909, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Inter-Island S. N. Co., Ltd., in Honolulu.

A. N. CAMPBELL,  
Secretary.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Laupahoehoe Sugar Company.  
At the annual meeting of the Laupahoehoe Sugar Company, held in Honolulu on the 18th day of March, 1909, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

President.....Mr. F. M. Swanzy  
Vice President.....Mr. G. F. Davies  
Treasurer.....Mr. E. H. Wodehouse  
Secretary.....Mr. W. H. Baird  
Auditor.....Mr. H. W. M. Mist  
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### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND CIRCUIT, TERRITORY OF HAWAII.

#### AT CHAMBERS—IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the Estate of Edward Griffin Beckwith, late of Hamakua-poko, Maui, deceased.

Order for Notice of Hearing Petition for Probate of Will.

A document purporting to be the last will and testament of Edward Griffin Beckwith, late of Hamakua-poko, Maui, deceased, having on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1909 been presented to said Probate Court, and a petition for the probate thereof, and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary to H. P. Baldwin and D. C. Lindsay, having been filed by D. C. Lindsay;

It is hereby ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of April, A. D. 1909 at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, at Wailuku, Maui, T. H., be and the same hereby is appointed the time and place for proving said will and hearing said application.

It is further ordered, That notice thereof be given, by publication once a week for three successive weeks, in the Pacific Commercial Advertiser, a daily newspaper published in Honolulu, Oahu, T. H., in the English language, the last publication to be not less than ten days previous to the time therein appointed for hearing.  
Dated at Wailuku, Maui, T. H., March 15, 1909.  
By the Court.  
(SEAL) (Sd.) EDMUND H. HART,  
Clerk.  
8300—March 17, 24, 31, April 7.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Waiakea Mill Company.

At the annual meeting of the Waiakea Mill Company, held in Honolulu on the 18th day of March, 1909, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

President.....Mr. F. M. Swanzy  
Vice President.....Mr. A. Young  
Treasurer.....Mr. G. F. Davies  
Secretary.....Mr. W. H. Baird  
Auditor.....Mr. H. W. M. Mist  
W. H. BAIRD,  
Secretary, Waiakea Mill Company.  
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### ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Hamakua Mill Company.

At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Hamakua Mill Company, held in Honolulu on the 18th day of March, 1909, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

President.....Mr. F. M. Swanzy  
Vice President.....Mr. Cecil Brown  
Treasurer.....Mr. G. F. Davies  
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For Pearl City, Ewa Mill and Way Stations—7:30 a. m., 9:15 a. m., 11:15 a. m., 2:15 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 5:15 p. m., 7:30 p. m., 11 p. m.  
For Wahiawa—9:15 a. m., and 5:15 p. m.

### INWARD.

Arrive Honolulu from Kahuku, Waialae and Wahiawa—8:36 a. m., 5:31 p. m.  
Arrive Honolulu from Ewa Mill and Pearl City—7:46 a. m., 8:36 a. m., 10:35 a. m., 1:40 p. m., 4:51 p. m., 5:31 p. m., 7:30 p. m.  
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Arrive Kahuku at.....1:00 P.M.  
Returning:

Leave Kahuku for Laie, Hauula, Punaluu, Kahana and Way Stations at.....1:45 P.M.  
Arrive Kahana at.....2:45 P.M.  
SATURDAY, SUNDAY AND HOLIDAY

Leave Kahana for Punaluu, Hauula, Laie, Kahuku and Way Stations at.....11:00 A.M.  
1:30 P.M.  
Arrive Kahuku at.....11:58 A.M.  
2:15 P.M.

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8:00 P.M.  
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